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degrees centigrade.

1 November

Yesterday during the day, overcast weather with local fogs prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Rains fell in Brestskaya and Pinskaya oblasts. Temperatures at 1500 were 4 degrees above zero in Bychikha, 5 in Minsk and Mogilev, 8 in Grodno and Gomel'. 9 in Brest, and 10 in Pinsk.(1)

2 November

Yesterday, overcast, rainy weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 4 degrees above zero in Bychikha; 5 in Polotsk; 7 in Vitebsk, Grodno, Brest, and Minsk; 8 in Mogilev and Gomel'; 9 in Slutsk; and 10 in Pinsk.(1)

3 November

This morning, cloudy weather, cold in the northern half, warm in the southern portion, prevailed in most of the European USSR.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 18 degrees below zero in Murmansk and Nar'yan-Mar; -12 in Syktyvkar; -11 in Arkhangel'sk; -8 in Molotov; -4 in Leningrad; -1 in L'vov; zero in Kalinin; 1 degree above zero in Riga; 2 in Minsk, Smolensk, and Ufa; 4 in Kishinev, Kiev, and Kazan'; 5 in Tula; 6 in Poltava; 7 in Odessa, Gor'kiy, and Kuybyshev; 8 in Khar'kov; 16 in Yalta; and 21 in Sochi.

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Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 3 degrees above zero; it was 2 degrees at noon today.(2)

4 November

Yesterday during the day, variable cloudiness prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Light rains fell locally. Temperatures at 1500 were 4 degrees above zero in Minsk, Polotsk, and Gomel'; 5 in Vitebsk, Grodno, and Baranovichi; and 6 in Pinsk and Brest.(1)

This morning, overcast weather, with strong winds and precipitation in the form of rain and local snow, prevailed in the central regions of the European USSR and the eastern half of the Ukraine. Subzero weather without substantial precipitation prevailed in the northern regions of the European USSR.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 2 degrees below zero; the same temperature prevailed at noon today.(2)

Yesterday morning's temperatures were 18 degrees below zero in Murmansk, -15 on Dikson Island, -11 in Arkhangel'sk, -8 in Sverdlovsk, -2 in Tallin, 1 degree above zero in Moscow and Riga, 4 in Kiev, 7 in Odessa, 12 in Rostov on the Don, 13 in Tashkent, 16 in Ashkhabad and Yalta, and 21 in Sochi.

Yesterday's temperatures in Leningrad were 4 degrees below zero during the morning, 2 degrees below during the day.(3)

5 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy with clearing weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Precipitation fell locally, mostly in the form of snow. Temperatures at 1500 were zero in Orsha, Vitebsk, and Mogilev; 2 degrees above zero in Minsk and Borisov; 3 in Brest and Pinsk; 4 in Gomel'; and 5 in Bragin.(1)

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 4 degrees below zero; the same temperature prevailed at noon today.(2)

5 November

This morning, cold weather prevailed in the eastern half of the European USSR, Arkhangel'skaya Oblast, and Komi ASSR. Snow fell locally in the central and eastern regions. It was warm in the western and southern regions of the European USSR. Rain was recorded in the northeastern Ukraine and in the Belorussian SSR.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 8 degrees below zero; it was 3 degrees below at noon today.(2)

Yesterday morning's temperatures were 45 degrees below zero in Khatanga, -23 in Tzurka, -17 on Dikson Island, -15 in Murmansk, -5 in Arkhangel'sk, -4 in Moscow, -3 in Tallin, -2 in Sverdlovsk and Riga, -1 in Minsk, zero in Kiev, 2 in Rostov on the Don, 3 in Odessa, 6 in Yalta, 13 in Sochi, 20 in Tashkent, and 21 in Ashkhabad.

Yesterday's temperature in Leningrad was 4 degrees below zero, both during the morning and during the day.(3)

7 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Light rains fell locally. Temperatures at 1500 were 5 degrees above zero in Minsk, 6 in Bobruysk and Baranovichi, 7 in Grodno and Gomel', and 8 in Brest and Pinsk.(1)

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This morning, warm weather prevailed in most of the European USSR. Rains fell in the Belorussian SSR, the northwestern and northern regions of the European USSR, and the northern portion of the central region. It was cold in Komi ASSR and the Urals.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 8 degrees below zero in Nar'yan-Mar and Molotov; 6 degrees below in Syktyvkar; zero in Murmansk, Minsk, Kiev, and Ufa; 1 degree above zero in Kishinev; 2 in Arkhangel'sk, Kirov, Kuybyshev, Smolensk, and Poltava; 3 in Leningrad, Riga, and Saratov; 4 in Kalinin, Kazan', and Khar'kov; 5 in Vologda and Odessa; 6 in Voronezh; 7 in Gor'kiy; 8 in Rostov; 9 in Tambov; 16 in Yalta; and 17 in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 6 degrees above zero; it was 4 degrees at noon today.(2)

11 November

This morning, warm weather with strong winds prevailed in the European USSR.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 2 degrees above zero; it was 5 degrees at noon today.(2)

Yesterday's temperature in Leningrad was 3 degrees above zero, both during the morning and during the day.(3)

12 November

Yesterday during the day, slightly cloudy, dry weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR.

Temperatures at 1500 were zero in Gomel', 1 degree above zero in Mogilev and Orsha, 2 in Minsk and Grodno, 3 in Baranovichi, 4 in Brest and Polotsk, and 5 in Pinsk.(1)

13 November

Yesterday during the day, overcast weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Almost everywhere, except in the extreme western regions, precipitation fell in the form of rain and wet snow. Temperatures at 1500 were zero in Zhitkovichi; 1 degree above zero in Grodno and Pinsk; 2 in Vitebsk and Minsk; and 3 in Polotsk, Mogilev, and Brest.(1)

This morning, subzero weather with strong winds was recorded in the central regions of the European USSR, the Volga Region, the northeastern Ukraine, Rostovskaya Oblast, and most of the Northern Caucasus. Comparatively warm weather prevailed in the northern and western European USSR. Wet snow fell in the Belorussian SSR, Pskovskaya and Velikolukskaya oblasts, and the foothills of the Northern Caucasus. Warm weather with rains and strong winds was recorded in most of the Ukraine and Krasnodarskiy Kray.

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Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 11 degrees below zero in Saratov; -10 in Kuybyshev; -9 in Stalingrad; -8 in Kazan'; -7 in Molotov and Kirov; -6 in Gor'kiy and Syktyvkar; -3 in Khar'kov and Vologda; -2 in Smolensk, Rostov, and Astrakhan'; -1 in Petrozavodsk, L'vev, and Arkhangel'sk; zero in Kaliningrad and Murmansk; 1 degree above zero in Riga, Tallin, and Odessa; 2 in Leningrad; 3 in Kiev; 8 in Yalta; and 10 in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 4 degrees below zero; it was 2 degrees below at noon today.(2)

14 November

Yesterday during the day, overcast weather with snowfalls, locally, with snowstorms, prevailed in the Belorussian SSR.

Temperatures at 1500 were 3 degrees below zero in Orsha; -2 in Polotsk, Gomei', Minsk, and Mogilev; -1 in Vileyka; zero in Mozyr' and Brest; and 1 degree above zero in Pinsk.(1)

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 8 degrees below zero in Kazan'; -7 in Gur'yev and Voronezh; -6 in Kuybyshev, Petrozavodsk, Rostov, and Kalinin; -4 in Arkhangel'sk and Chkalov; -3 in Kiev; -2 in Murmansk; -1 in L'vev; 1 degree above zero in Riga; 2 in Krasnodar; 10 in Sochi; and 12 in Yalta.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 6 degrees below zero; it was 3 below at noon today.(2)

15 November

Yesterday during the day, overcast weather with strong winds prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Snowfalls were recorded in most of the southwestern portion of the republic. Snowstorms occurred locally. Variable cloudiness without precipitation was recorded in the extreme northeastern portion of the republic. Temperatures at 1500 were 6 degrees below zero in Minsk, -5 in Bobruysk, -4 in Baranovichi, -3 in Mozyr', -2 in Polotsk and Mogilev, -1 in Pinsk, zero in Vitebsk, and 1 degree above zero in Brest.(1)

This morning, cold weather without precipitation prevailed in most of the European USSR. It was warm only in the Crimea and the Transcaucasus.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 4 degrees below zero; it was zero at noon today.(2)

16 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Light precipitation in the form of wet snow was recorded locally. Yesterday's lowest temperature at 1500 was 3 degrees below zero in Minsk. Other temperatures were 2 degrees below zero in Slutsk and Baranovichi; -1 in Gomel'; Orsha, and Polotsk; zero in Grodno, Brest, and Pinsk; and 1 degree above zero in Volkovysk.(1)

17 November

This morning, overcast weather with precipitation prevailed in the western Ukraine, Belorussian SSR, Lithuanian SSR, and Pskovskaya, Novgorodskaya, and Velikolukskaya oblasts. Slightly cloudy, subzero weather prevailed in the rest of the European USSR.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 5 degrees below zero; it was zero at noon today.(2)

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During the last few days, precipitation, mostly in the form of snow, fell in the Belorussian SSR. A snow cover has formed whose greatest depth was recorded in the central portion of the republic. Yesterday during the day, temperatures were 1 degree below zero in Vitebsk; zero in Minsk, Mogilev, and Polotsk; 1 degree above zero in Grodno, Slutsk, and Gomel'; 3 in Pinsk; and 4 in Brest.(1)

19 November

Yesterday during the day, slightly cloudy weather prevailed in most of the Belorussian SSR. Light rains fell only in the extreme western portion of the republic. Temperatures at 1500 were 3 degrees below zero in Minsk, -2 in Polotsk and Gomel', -1 in Mogilev, zero in Baranovichi, 1 degree above zero in Pinsk, 2 in Grodno, and 4 in Brest.(1)

Yesterday's temperature in Leningrad was zero both during the morning and during the day.(3)

20 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy weather without substantial precipitation prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 3 degrees below zero in Drissa and Bychikha; -2 in Minsk, Mogilev, and Gomel'; -1 in Baranovichi; zero in Pinsk and Grodno; and 2 degrees above zero in Brest.(1)

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 4 degrees below zero; it was 2 degrees below zero at noon today.(2)

21 November

Yesterday during the day, overcast weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Light snows fell locally. Temperatures at 1500 were 2 degrees below zero in Minsk, Mogilev, and Bobruysk; 1 below in Gomel', Baranovichi, and Vitebsk; zero in Pinsk and Grodno; and 1 degree above zero in Brest.(1)

This morning, overcast weather with light and, locally, moderate subzero temperatures prevailed in most of the European USSR. Subzero temperatures, locally as low as 30 degrees, were recorded in the northeastern portion of the European USSR. Snowfalls were recorded in Komi ASSR, Molotovskaya and Kirovskaya oblasts, and the Upper and Lower Volga regions.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 2 degrees below zero; the same temperature prevailed at noon today.(2)

Yesterday's temperature in Leningrad was zero both during the morning and during the day.(3)

22 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy weather without precipitation prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 3 degrees below zero in Polotsk; -2 in Minsk, Mogilev, and Gomel'; -1 in Lechitsy and Slutsk, 1 degree above zero in Pinsk; and 2 in Brest.(1)

This morning, cloudy weather with light subzero temperatures prevailed in most of the European USSR. Extreme subzero temperatures -- as low as 30 degrees -- were recorded in the northeastern portion of the European USSR.

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Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 30 degrees below zero in Nar'yan-Mar; -28 in Vorkuta; -6 in Bortov and Stalingrad; -3 in Arkhangel'sk, Leningrad, Kuybyshev, Kiev, and Minsk; -1 in Stavropol'; zero in L'vov and Riga; 7 degrees above zero in Sukhumi; and 9 in Yalta.(2)

23 November

Yesterday during the day, light precipitation in the form of snow fell in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 3 degrees below zero in Polotsk, Vitebsk, and Minsk; -2 in Mogilev; -1 in Gomel'; and zero in Brest and Grodno.(1)

Yesterday's temperatures in Leningrad were 2 degrees below zero during the morning, 4 below during the day.(3)

24 November

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 7 degrees below zero; it was 6 below at noon today.(2)

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Yesterday during the day, overcast weather with precipitation in the form of snow and light rain prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Sleet was recorded locally.

Temperatures at 1500 were 2 degrees below zero in Vitebsk and Polotsk; 1 below in Minsk, Gomel', and Bobruysk; zero in Baranovichi; and 1 degree above zero in Pinsk and Zhitkovich.(1)

This morning, overcast weather with rain was observed in the Caucasus and the eastern half of the European USSR. Snow fell in the western half of the European USSR, the Belorussian SSR, the Baltic republics, and Velikolukskaya, Pskovskaya, and Molotovskaya oblasts.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 15 degrees below zero in Kuybyshev; -12 in Saratov, Kirov, and Kazan'; -10 in Vologda; -8 in Arkhangel'sk and Ufa; -7 in Syktyvkar, -6 in Voronezh, -4 in Petrozavodsk; -3 in Nar'yan-Mar; -2 in Minsk and Astrakhan; -1 in Leningrad, Smolensk, and Khar'kov; zero in Rostov; 1 degree above zero in Kiev; 2 in Odessa; 8 in Yalta; and 10 in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 6 degrees below zero; it was 2 degrees at noon today.(2)

Yesterday's temperatures in Leningrad were 7 degrees below zero during the morning, 4 below during the day.(3)

26 November

Yesterday during the day, slightly cloudy weather with precipitation, mostly in the form of snow, prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 2 degrees below zero in Volochin; 1 degree below zero in Minsk and Grodno; and zero in Pinsk, Bragin, Gomel', Orsha, and Vitebsk.(1)

This morning, subzero weather prevailed in most of the European USSR. Overcast weather with snowfalls and with locally strong winds and snowstorms prevailed in the central and northwestern regions. It was warm only in the Crimea and the Caucasus.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 5 degrees below zero; it was 4 degrees below at noon today.(2)

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Yesterday during the day, cloudy with clearing weather accompanied by local snow falls prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 4 degrees below zero in Minsk; -3 in Mozyr', Mogilev, and Polotsk; -2 in Baranovichi and Grodno; -1 in Brest; and zero in Pinsk.

This morning, overcast weather prevailed in the European USSR. Snowfalls were recorded in the central and northwestern regions. Warm weather with rain prevailed in the Crimea, the Ukraine, and in Voronezhskaya, Kurskaya, and Orlovskaya oblasts.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 13 degrees below zero in Chkalov, -9 in Smolensk, -8 in Minsk and Kuybyshev, -7 in Nar'yan-Mar and Arkhangel'sk, -5 in Gor'kiy and Saratov, -4 in Kiev and Astrakhan', -3 in Leningrad, -2 in Riga, zero in Tambov, 2 degrees above zero in Orel, 3 in Kishinev and Rostov, 6 in Khar'kov, 7 in Poltava, 11 in Yalta, and 12 in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature was 1 degree below zero; it was zero at noon today.(2)

28 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy with clearing weather with local light snowfalls prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 8 degrees below zero in Orsha and Bobruysk; -7 in Vitebsk, Mogilev, and Gomel'; -5 in Slutsk, Pinsk, and Polotsk; -4 in Minsk; -2 in Grodno; and -1 in Brest.(1)

This morning, overcast weather prevailed in most of the European USSR. Snowfalls and local snowstorms were recorded in Murmanskaya and Arkhangel'skaya oblasts, and the eastern portion of the central region of the European USSR. Rains fell in Rostovskaya Oblast, the Northern Caucasus, the Crimea, and the western Ukraine.

Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 18 degrees below zero in Chkalov; -14 in Molotov; -12 in Ufa; -10 in Kuybyshev; -8 in Minsk, Kazan', Kirov, and Kalinin; -7 in Orel; -5 in Saratov; -3 in Arkhangel'sk and Gor'kiy; -2 in Kiev and Khar'kov; -1 in Riga; zero in Astrakhan'; 1 degree above zero in Leningrad; 2 in L'vov; 4 in Odesca; 6 in Rostov, 10 in Sochi; and 12 in Yalta.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 7 degrees below zero; it was 8 below at noon today.(3)

Yesterday's temperatures were 4 degrees below zero during the morning, 4 degrees below during the day. (3)

29 November

Yesterday during the day, rising temperatures accompanied by snowfalls which changed into rain in the southern portion of the republic prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 8 degrees below zero in Vitebsk, -7 in Mogilev and Polotsk, -5 in Minsk, -4 in Lida, -2 in Gomel', zero in Mozyr', and 2 degrees above zero in Brest and Pinsk.(1)

This morning, overcast weather, warm in the southwestern portion and cold in the eastern portion, prevailed in the European USSR.

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Temperatures at 0900 this morning were 19 degrees below zero in Chkalov; -15 in Kuybyshev and Ufa; -12 in Molotov; -11 in Kirov, and Saratov; -8 in Riga and Syktyvkar; -5 in Leningrad, Gor'kiy, and Mar'yan-Mar; -4 in Stalingrad, Murmansk, Petrozavodsk, and Arkhangel'sk; -3 in Vologda; -2 in Tallin; zero in Smolensk, Minsk, Voronezh, and Khar'kov; 2 degrees above zero in Kiev; 5 in Lvov; 6 in Postov; 10 in Odessa; 11 in Yalta; and 12 in Sochi.

Last night's lowest temperature in Moscow was 6 degrees below zero; it was zero at noon today.(2)

30 November

Yesterday during the day, cloudy weather prevailed in the Belorussian SSR. Precipitation in the form of rain and snow was recorded mostly in the eastern portion of the Belorussian SSR. Temperatures at 1500 were 6 degrees below zero in Sharkovshchina; -5 in Polotsk; -4 in Minsk, Grodno, and Baranovichi; -2 in Pinsk and Brest; zero in Orsha; 1 degree above zero in Mogilev; and 2 degrees in Gomel'.(1)

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